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(As Amended)

***"AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE
LAWS AND OTHER ELECTION LAWS."***

1 Strike subparagraph (A) of subdivision (1) of subsection (e) of
2 section 15 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

3 "(A) Such committees may distribute their surplus to a party
4 committee, or a political committee organized for ongoing political
5 activities, return such surplus to all contributors to the committee on a
6 prorated basis of contribution, distribute all or any part of such surplus
7 to the Citizens' Election Fund established in section 9-701, [or]
8 distribute such surplus to any charitable organization which is a tax-
9 exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue
10 Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code
11 of the United States, as from time to time amended, or, in the case of a
12 candidate committee for a nonparticipating candidate, distribute such
13 surplus to an organization under Section 501(c)(19) of said code, as
14 from time to time amended, provided (i) no candidate committee may

15 distribute such surplus to a committee which has been established to
16 finance future political campaigns of the candidate, (ii) a candidate
17 committee which received moneys from the Citizens' Election Fund
18 shall distribute such surplus to such fund, and (iii) a candidate
19 committee for a nonparticipating candidate, as described in subsection
20 (b) of section 9-703, may only distribute any such surplus to the
21 Citizens' Election Fund or to a charitable organization;"